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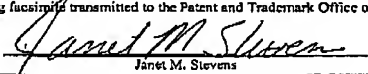
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| <b>TRANSMITTAL FORM</b><br>(Provisions of 37 CFR 1.136 Apply)  |   |       |                                       |                                    |                            |                       |
|--|---|-------|---------------------------------------|------------------------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------|
| Application Number   | 10/017,325  |       | Filing Date                           | December 14, 2001                  |                            |                       |
| Group Art Unit   | 2811  |       | Examiner Name                         | Junghwa M. Im                      |                            |                       |
| Confirmation No.   | 8198  |       | Attorney Docket No.                   | 782_206                            |                            |                       |
| Inventor(s)  | Tomohiko SHIBATA, Keiichiro ASAI, Yukinori NAKAMURA and Mitsuhiro TANAKA            |       |                                       |                                    |                            |                       |
| Invention:   | SEMICONDUCTOR ELEMENT   |       |                                       |                                    |                            |                       |
| Transmitted herewith is a Request for Reconsideration in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated as follows:   |   |       |                                       |                                    |                            |                       |
| <b>CLAIMS</b>  |   |       |                                       |                                    |                            |                       |
| (1)  | (2)<br>Claims Remaining   | (3)   | (4)<br>Highest Number Previously Paid | (5)<br>No. of Extra Claims Present | (6)<br>Rate (Large Entity) | (7)<br>Additional Fee |
| TOTAL CLAIMS   | 13  | MINUS | 20                                    | 0                                  | \$18.00                    | \$00.00               |
| INDEP. CLAIMS  | 1   | MINUS | 3                                     | 0                                  | \$88.00                    | \$00.00               |
| <b>TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE</b>  |   |       |                                       |                                    |                            | \$00.00               |
| <b>EXTENSION OF TERM</b>   |   |       |                                       |                                    |                            |                       |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time. |   |       |                                       |                                    |                            |                       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above-identified application. The requested extension and appropriate non-small entity fee are as follows:                             |   |       |                                       |                                    |                            |                       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> One Month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)) .....   |   |       |                                       |                                    | \$110.00                   |                       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Two Month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2)) .....   |   |       |                                       |                                    | \$430.00                   |                       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Three Month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3)) .....   |   |       |                                       |                                    | \$980.00                   |                       |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is:  |   |       |                                       |                                    |                            |                       |
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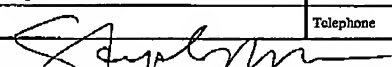
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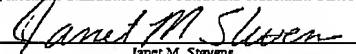
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